

BUSINESS SIGNS.

Placards a Fair Index to its Financial Condition. The evolution of the sign is one of the interesting features of modern methods...

BY-PRODUCT COKING.

History illustrates the slow growth of such schemes. The first mention of the by-product dates back to 1768...

Room for Postscripts.

The great lawyer had drawn up the man's will and was reading it over her. When he had finished she pressed her satisfaction...

The Man Question.

A woman was roasting the men today, when upon a man said with arieved tone: "Madam, you forget that your father was a man."

A BUSY MAN.

Let him who will sing the praises of the alert man who controls the schedule of railroad trains...

In the average large stable, where carriages are supplied in response to calls for hotels and clubs...

There may be a carriage at one of the hotel stands in the neighborhood standing idle. The operator learns that it is a landau...

So the carriage agent at the X hotel is instructed to hold the landau and to intercept the victoria...

In a livery stable which supplies many of the hotels a call was received for a carriage. There was none in the stable...

"All right?" said the livery stable man. "Of course, when I get an order it will be filled..."

Mosquitoes Cure Snakebite.

Wonderful things are happening nowadays. A Port Jervis dispatch reports that while getting railroad ties near that place Abe Morehouse was bitten in the leg by a rattlesnake...

Egotism.

Egotism which leads a man to head a charitable subscription list is excusable.—Chicago Daily News.

Therefore Don't Expose It.

When people discover a man's weakness they hit it every time they shoot.—Acheson Globe.

But Does the Job All the Same.

The mule draws the line at a canal towpath.—Chicago Daily News.

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Safe. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse dangerous substitutions and imitations...

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The Most Widely Read Newspaper in America. Time has demonstrated that the Thrice-a-Week World stands alone in its class...

Every Monday and Thursday a newspaper as good as a magazine—and better for it contains the latest by telegraph as well as interesting stories—is sent to the subscriber of the "Twice-a-Week" Republic...

The man who reads the "Twice-a-Week" Republic knows all about affairs, political, domestic and foreign events; is posted about the markets and commercial matters generally...

Free Blood Cure. We recommend Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) for all blood troubles, such as ulcers, eating sores, scurfia, eczema, itching humors, pimples, boils, carbuncles, blood poison, itching humors, festering sores, cancer, sarcoma, rheumatism, St. Vitus' dance, catarrh, malignant blood or skin diseases, especially advised for old, deep seated cases...

FORECLOSURE SALE. Whereas, J. W. Jordan and Mary J. Jordan his wife, on the 6th day of May, 1896, by their certain deed of mortgage duly recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of Lafayette county, Missouri, in book 18, page 6, conveyed to Lafayette county, state of Missouri, for the use and benefit of the county school fund of said Lafayette county, state of Missouri, the following described real estate situated in the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter section 25, township 48, range 29, containing forty acres more or less...

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI. County of Lafayette, ss. In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, December term, 1901. Bottie Adams and James Adams, her husband, Belle Straight and James B. Straight, her husband, Plaintiffs, vs. Young P. McCormack, Hardy H. McCormack, Malissa Early and James H. McCormack, her husband, Coy McCormack, Jessie McCormack, Katie McCormack and Norine McCormack, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiffs herein by their attorneys and file their petition, alleging among other things, that defendants Coy McCormack, Jessie McCormack, Katie McCormack and Norine McCormack, are not residents of the state of Missouri. Whereupon, it is ordered by the clerk in vacation, that said non-resident defendants be notified by publication that they are to appear in this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house in the City of Lexington, in said county of Lafayette, Missouri, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, section eight (8), township forty-eight (48) and range twenty-eight (28), and before the first day of said term, if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term, answer or plead in writing to the petition, and the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

Commissioners Sale of Real Estate in Partition. Rebecca B. Hancock and W. W. Hancock, her husband, Martha V. Evans and G. Evans, her husband, and W. Richard Beamer, Plaintiffs, vs. Phillip R. Beamer, Paschal H. Beamer, Samuel C. Beamer, Laura E. Cropp and John Cropp, her husband, Hattie Patrick and Percy V. Patrick, her husband, Daisy Mahan, Menah Beamer, Grace Spencer, Birdie Beamer and Orlie Beamer, C. B. Seidman and H. H. Platt defendants.

Notice to Bridge Contractors. I will let to the lowest and best bidder on MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, A. D. 1901, for construction on A. Truss Bridge, thirty feet span, to be built across Little Sol creek in the northwest corner of section 29, township 49, range 27, and about one and a quarter miles south of Thos. J. Powell's residence. Letting will take place at bridge site at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Plans and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting. Contractors to give bond for maintenance of bridge as by law directs. Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids. B. D. WELBURN, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the Lexington Building and Loan Association, of Lexington, Missouri, will be held at the office of the Secretary, No. 1119 Franklin Avenue, in the City of Lexington, County of Lafayette, Mo., on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1901, at 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, for the purpose of taking a vote of the shareholders of the said association on a proposition then and there to be submitted to them, to increase the capital stock of said association from the sum of Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000), which it now is, to Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000), an increase of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

Chicago and Alton Railroad. Trains leave Higginsville as follows: west bound. No. 8, St. L. and K. C. mail, 5:45 a. m. No. 7, Calif. and Col. limited, 7:40 a. m. No. 61, Higginsville and K. C. accom, 7:55 a. m. No. 13, St. Louis and K. C. mail, 4:30 p. m. No. 119, Local freight and accom, 9:47 a. m. EAST BOUND. No. 14, St. L. and K. C. mail, 9:47 a. m. No. 6, K. C. and Higginsville accom, 7:15 p. m. No. 10, Calif. and Col. limited, 7:35 p. m. No. 12, St. L. and K. C. mail, 10:57 p. m. No. 116, Local freight and accom, 12:45 p. m. W. S. LYONS, Ticket Agent, Telephone No. 50.

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THE "CONTINENTAL LIMITED" NEW FAST TRAIN EAST VIA THE WABASH. MAGNIFICENT THROUGH TRAIN-DINING CAR.

TIME TABLES

Table with columns for Missouri Pacific-Lexington Br. WEST BOUND TRAINS, No. 71, No. 75, and EAST BOUND TRAINS, No. 74, No. 72.

JEFFERSON CITY, BOONVILLE AND LEXINGTON DIVISION.

Table with columns for MIXED DAILY EXC. SUNDAY, No. 72, No. 71, and SANTA FE ROUTE.

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WO RACKS O EXAS. Effective March 10th, 1901, the FRISCO LINE. Announces the Opening of its Red River Division to Denison and Sherman, Texas. Through Train Service will shortly be established from St. Louis and Kansas City over the Shortest Line to Texas.

NEW SERVICE VIA MKT AND SAN ANTONIO, AUSTIN, VIA ELGIN AND H. & T. C. Through Tourist Sleepers to CALIFORNIA, VIA SAN ANTONIO AND SOU. PAC. Quickest and Best Line to MEXICO. "KATY FLYER" to St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City. ALL TRAINS HAVE FREE KATY CHAIR CARS AND BUFFET SLEEPERS.

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What Shall We Have for Desert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious desert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking! Add hot water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cents.

A RARE CHANCE. Having decided to close out my holdings of cows and heifers, some 60 head, I offer for sale one and all. My line comprise Shorthorn, Angus, Herefords and Jersey mixed. All were selected with reference to milk strain, formerly being in creamery business. Some Twenty odd with all fat and balance to calve shortly. Prices ranging from \$25 to \$50 per head. Call on or address, TALBOT SIMPSON, Anville, Mo.